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Serial No.: 10/756,995    Art Unit: 1744  
Filed: January 14, 2004    Examiner: Shay L. Karls  
Assignee: Wentworth Laboratories, Inc.                              Conf. No. 3727  
Title: PROBE PIN CLEANING SYSTEM AND METHOD

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fees have been calculated as shown below:

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## 1. Fee Calculation (37 CFR §1.16)

## A. Entity Status

☒ Applicant claims Small Entity Status.

## B. Excess Claim Fees

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims (after Amendment)	HP	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 7 minus 20 or HP	20	= 0	x 25	= \$ -
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20				
Independent Claims (after Amendment)	HP	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 7 minus 3 or HP	3	= 0	x 100	= \$ -
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 3				
Multiple dependent claims? Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fee (\$)
				Fee Paid (\$)
			\$ 180	\$ -

## C. Application Size Fee

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper, the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

Total Sheets (after Amendment)	Extra Sheets	Each additional 50 (rounded up to a whole number)	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 13 minus 100	0	/ 50 = 0	x 125	= \$ -

## D. Other Fee(s)

Description: ☐ ☐

## E. Extensions of Time

Applicant requests under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 (a) to extend the Period for filing a response in the above identified application as follows:

Months	Fee	Small Entity Fee	Total Fee
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00	\$ 60.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Two months	\$ 450.00	\$ 225.00	\$ -
<input type="checkbox"/> Three months	\$ 1,020.00	\$ 510.00	\$ -
<input type="checkbox"/> Four months	\$ 1,590.00	\$ 795.00	\$ -
<input type="checkbox"/> Five months	\$ 2,160.00	\$ 1,080.00	\$ -

## F. Terminal Disclaimer

☒ A Terminal Disclaimer is attached for which the appropriate fee is:

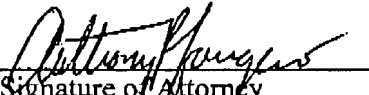
Fee	Small Entity Fee	Total Fee
\$ 130.00	\$ 65.00	\$ -

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Date: April 30, 2007  
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Respectfully submitted,  
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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

Dear Sir:

In the matter of the above identified application for Letters Patent and in response to the non-final Office Action mailed December 28, 2006, for which a response is due on or before April 28, 2007, with the payment of a one-month extension fee, which is hereby petitioned, please enter and consider the following Amendments and Remarks:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper;

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 3 of this paper;

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 5 of this paper; and

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.